### POLICY AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEED

Council of the County of Maui

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### Meeting Agenda

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK

May 13, 2014 9:00 a.m.

MEETING SITE: Council Chamber, 8th Floor, 200 South High Street, Wailuku, Hawaii

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### PIA-2(23) NOMINATIONS TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS (REAL PROPERTY TAX REVIEW BOARD)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of correspondence dated April 4, 2014 (received April 4, 2014), from the Mayor, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE REAL PROPERTY TAX REVIEW BOARD FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI", along with a completed application form for the nominee. The purpose of the proposed resolution is to approve or disapprove the appointment of Peter Davis to the Real Property Tax Review Board, for a term expiring on March 31, 2015, to fill a vacancy due to the resignation of Patrice Matsumoto.

**STATUS:** 

The Council must approve or disapprove the nomination to the Real Property Tax Review Board by June 3, 2014, or the nomination will be deemed approved. The Committee may consider whether to recommend adoption of the proposed resolution, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

# PIA-2(24) NOMINATIONS TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS (LIQUOR CONTROL ADJUDICATION BOARD)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of correspondence dated April 8, 2014 (received April 8, 2014), from the Mayor, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE LIQUOR CONTROL ADJUDICATION BOARD FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI", along with a completed application form for the nominee. The purpose of the proposed resolution is to approve or disapprove the appointment of Henry Kauka, Jr. to the Liquor Control Adjudication Board, for a term expiring on March 31, 2016, to fill a vacancy due to the resignation of Edward Zwick.

**STATUS:** 

The Council must approve or disapprove the nomination to the Liquor Control Adjudication Board by June 7, 2014, or the nomination will be deemed approved. The Committee may consider whether to recommend adoption of the proposed resolution, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

# PIA-2(25) NOMINATIONS TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS (BOARD OF VARIANCES AND APPEALS)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of correspondence dated May 2, 2014 (received May 2, 2014), from the Mayor, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE BOARD OF VARIANCES AND APPEALS", along with a completed application form for the nominee. The purpose of the proposed resolution is to approve or disapprove the appointment of Scott Matsuura to the Board of Variances and Appeals, for a term expiring on March 31, 2015, to fill a vacancy due to the resignation of Bart Santiago Jr.

STATUS:

The Council must approve or disapprove the nomination to the Board of Variances and Appeals by July 1, 2014, or the nomination will be deemed approved. The Committee may consider whether to recommend adoption of the proposed resolution, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

## PIA-2(26) NOMINATIONS TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS (LANAI PLANNING COMMISSION)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of correspondence dated May 1, 2014 (received May 1, 2014), from the Mayor, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE LANAI PLANNING COMMISSION", along with a completed application form for the nominee. The purpose of the proposed resolution is to approve or disapprove the appointment of Bradley Bunn to the Lanai Planning Commission, for a term expiring on March 31, 2017, to fill a vacancy due to the resignation of Priscilla Felipe.

#### **STATUS**:

The Council must approve or disapprove the nomination to the Lanai Planning Commission by June 30, 2014, or the nomination will be deemed approved. The Committee may consider whether to recommend adoption of the proposed resolution, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

# PIA-2(27) NOMINATIONS TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS (AFFIRMATIVE ACTION ADVISORY COUNCIL)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of correspondence dated May 2, 2014 (received May 2, 2014), from the Mayor, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE AFFIRMATIVE ACTION ADVISORY COUNCIL", along with a completed application form for the nominee. The purpose of the proposed resolution is to approve or disapprove the appointment of Thomas White to the Affirmative Action Advisory Council, for a term expiring on March 31, 2017, to fill a vacancy due to the resignation of Abelardo Corella.

**STATUS:** 

The Council must approve or disapprove the nomination to the Affirmative Action Advisory Council by July 1, 2014, or the nomination will be deemed approved. The Committee may consider whether to recommend adoption of the proposed resolution, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

# PIA-2(28) NOMINATIONS TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS (COST OF GOVERNMENT COMMISSION)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of correspondence dated May 2, 2014 (received May 2, 2014), from the Mayor, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE COST OF GOVERNMENT COMMISSION", along with a completed application form for the nominee. The purpose of the proposed resolution is to approve or disapprove the appointment of Dale Thompson to the Cost of Government Commission, for a term expiring on March 31, 2018, to fill a vacancy due to the resignation of Steve Aheong.

**STATUS:** 

The Council must approve or disapprove the nomination to the Cost of Government Commission by July 1, 2014, or the nomination will be deemed approved. The Committee may consider whether to recommend adoption of the proposed resolution, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

### PIA-10(10) PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENTS (AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of the following:

- County Communication 09-229, from Councilmember Michael J. Molina, relating to proposed Charter amendments.
- 2. Correspondence dated October 31, 2013, from Councilmember Donald G. Couch, Jr., transmitting a proposed resolution to amend Section 9-20 of the Revised Charter of the County of Maui (1983), as amended ("Charter") to extend, until 2021, the requirement that two per cent minimum of the certified real property tax be appropriated to the affordable housing fund.
- 3. Correspondence dated November 20, 2013, from the Department of the Corporation Counsel, transmitting a revised proposed resolution entitled "PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 9-20 OF THE REVISED CHARTER OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI (1983), AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND". The revised proposed resolution incorporates nonsubstantive revisions to the October 31, 2013, proposal from Councilmember Couch, and has been approved as to form and legality.
- 4. County Communication 14-50, from Mayor Alan M. Arakawa, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 9-20 OF THE REVISED CHARTER OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI (1983), AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND". The purpose of the proposed resolution is to amend Section 9-20 of the

Charter to extend, until 2023, the requirement that two per cent minimum of the certified real property tax be appropriated to the affordable housing fund.

5. Correspondence dated March 28, 2014, from Councilmember Michael P. Victorino, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 9-20 OF THE REVISED CHARTER OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI (1983), AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND". The purpose of the proposed resolution is to amend Section 9-20 of the Charter to extend, until 2019, the requirement that two per cent minimum of the certified real property tax be appropriated to the affordable housing fund.

**STATUS**:

The Committee may consider whether to recommend passage of the revised proposed resolution in paragraph 3 above, or a proposed resolution in paragraph 4 or 5 above, on first reading, with or without further revisions. The Committee may also consider the filing of County Communication 14-50 and other related action.

### PIA-10(9) PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENTS (PENALTIES)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of the following:

- 1. County Communication 09-229, from Councilmember Michael J. Molina, relating to proposed Charter amendments.
- 2. Correspondence dated January 3, 2012, from Councilmember Donald G. Couch, Jr., transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE REVISED CHARTER OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI (1983), AS AMENDED, RELATING TO PENALTIES". The purpose of the proposed resolution is to amend Section 13-10 of the Charter to remove the limitation on the amount of penalties that may be imposed.

**STATUS:** 

The Committee may consider whether to recommend passage of the proposed resolution on first reading, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

# PIA-10(11) PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENTS (MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF PENALTIES)

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of the following:

- County Communication 09-229, from Councilmember Michael J. Molina, relating to proposed Charter amendments.
- 2. Correspondence dated December 11, 2013, from the Chair of the Committee, transmitting a proposed resolution to amend Section 13-10 of the Charter to increase the maximum penalty from \$1,000 to \$10,000 for violations of the Charter and violations of ordinances and rules having the force and effect of law.
- 3. Correspondence dated January 2, 2014, from the Department of the Corporation Counsel, transmitting a revised proposed resolution entitled "PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE REVISED CHARTER OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI (1983), AS AMENDED, RELATING TO MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF PENALTIES". The revised proposed resolution incorporates a nonsubstantive revision and has been approved as to form and legality.

**STATUS**:

The Committee may consider whether to recommend passage of the revised proposed resolution on first reading, with or without further revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

## PIA-10(2) PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENTS (COST OF GOVERNMENT COMMISSION)

### **DESCRIPTION:**

The Committee is in receipt of the following:

1. County Communication 09-229, from Councilmember Michael J. Molina, relating to proposed Charter amendments.

2. Correspondence dated March 31, 2014, from the Chair of the Committee, transmitting a proposed resolution entitled "PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE REVISED CHARTER OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI (1983), AS AMENDED, RELATING TO ABOLISHING THE COST OF GOVERNMENT COMMISSION". The purpose of the proposed resolution is to abolish the Cost of Government Commission, whose functions have been subsumed by the newly established Office of the County Auditor.

**STATUS**:

The Committee may consider whether to recommend passage of the proposed resolution on first reading, with or without revisions. The Committee may also consider other related action.

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